

**Your Help is Needed**

**Sign up today!**



**There are many ways to help:**

- **Come and interact with students on the days they visit the garden.**
- **Participate in scheduled work days at the garden.**
- **Volunteer to water the garden.**
- **Contribute money to buy necessary supplies.**



Students learning about how seeds travel.

**St. Andrew Oaks  
Garden of Hope  
Corner of Fairland Ave.  
and 10th Street**

**St. Andrew Oaks  
Garden of Hope**

**A Ministry of  
St. Andrew's  
Episcopal Church**



**For more info, call 850.265.5978**

## About St. Andrew Oaks Garden of Hope

### Goals:

The goals of the St. Andrew Oaks Garden of Hope are

- to reach out beyond our doors and share God's love and care with people in the immediate neighborhood of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church,

- beneficial use of the land God has provided St. Andrew's

- to promote stewardship of the environment

- to provide a positive learning environment for Oakland Terrace students

- to encourage healthy lifestyles

- to enhance community and social development

### Stakeholders:

Cindy Been and Pam Quimoya 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teachers at Oakland Terrace; organizers, curriculum developers; supervisors of students, and prayer warrior

2<sup>nd</sup> graders and their families from Oakland Terrace – participate in creating, tending, and harvesting

the garden

St. Andrew's Foundation – grants to begin and support the new ministry.

Members of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church – volunteers and contributors to the ministry

Home Depot - both the 23rd St. store and the beach store



Students and parents enjoy a spaghetti dinner made from crops raised in the garden.

### Benefits:

#### For St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Our church family benefits from knowing we have made excellent use of land God has provided and shares its benefits with others in need. Members who participate

share God's love and care with others, and hopefully, lead others to Christ.

#### For Students and Their Families

Students and their families benefit from a hands-on experience in planting, tending, and harvesting vegetable/fruit crops; students benefit from a peaked interest in learning; the garden encourages students/families to eat healthy foods and provides food for families; the hands-on gardening experience nurture a respect for God's creation; loving, caring relationships between the students, families and members of St. Andrew's develop as a result of the ministry.

